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Garrison & Johnson got out to our house before dinner and were very agreeable. Lucy Parker & Miss Ball had had a talk with Garrison & were very bitter & ugly. A very mean letter has been received from N. York begging for money from Mass. I believe this opportunity will be improved by the Mass. Board to give them a talk. Garrison & Johnson went to meeting in the afternoon. Mr Perkins preached - about the devil one of his usual sermons. G took tea at Elias Richards & called at Dr Fifields. Johnson stayed with us. Garrisons lecture was a very glorious one in all its aspects. The house was very full, full of men, well lighted. Mr Perkins was in the pulpit & made a very decent sort of prayer - as the prominent part of the church were out. I suppose he feared not to be present. After the services they came back to our house to take a snack & then Mr Pratt came up & brought G. a vote of thanks & paid his expenses.

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